

In the Specification

At pages 8-9, lines 18-23 and 1-4 respectively, please amend the paragraph as follows:

Off-hook status of the telephone device without an occupancy detection is another possible condition that can be uniquely indicated. Any other telephone device features and/or conditions can likewise be supervised based upon presence and appropriately indicated, for example activation of call-forwarding, immediate call transfer to voice mail, “do not disturb,” and/or telephone device malfunction. Awareness, through indication, of the aforementioned conditions is beneficial to users ~~because~~ as an aid to discovery and correction of undesired telephone device conditions and configurations. Telephone device, and/or telephony system features are optionally indicated by distinct color, sound, data display, graphics, symbol and/or illumination patterns.